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Secretary of State Kevin Shelley Places New Ballot Labels on Public Display for the March 2004 Statewide Primary Election

SAN FRANCISCO, CA --- Secretary of State Kevin Shelley today announced that the ballot labels for newly proposed Propositions 57 and 58 are available for public examination today and tomorrow. The measures will be on the March 2, 2004 statewide primary election ballot. The ballot labels were received by the Secretary of State earlier today from the Attorney General.

During this public display period, Californians may examine the ballot labels and challenge information they believe is false or misleading. No alterations or additions may be made to the ballot label information unless ordered by the Sacramento County Superior Court.

Proposition 57 is the bond measure approved by the Legislature and signed by the Governor on Friday as Assembly Bill 9.

Proposition 58 is the constitutional amendment approved on Friday as Assembly Constitutional Amendment 5.

During the public display period, anyone may examine the ballot labels on line at <http://www.ss.ca.gov/elections/electionsbpp04.htm>.

Copies are also available at the Secretary of State's Office, 1500 11th Street, Sacramento until 8:00 p.m. tonight (Sunday, December 14), and at the Secretary of State's Offices in Fresno, Los Angeles, San Diego and San Francisco beginning at 8:30 a.m. tomorrow (Monday, December 15). The public examination period ends at 5:00 p.m. on Monday, December 15.

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